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NOTICE.

RAR, N. O. STEVENS is hereby autho-IVI riged to Sign our Name by Procuration at Amor, the Power held by Mr nut Wood Dining Table, Chairs and Side ELWELL CRASING from this Date. RUSSELL & Co.

China, February 9, 1880. NOTICE

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

TECORD OF AMERICAN AND FORMIGN SHIPPING.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Bongkong, Sept. 3, 1879.

For Sale.

FOR SALE. CHAMPAGNE. Quarts......\$16 per 1 dez. Case. Pintantantantali7 per 2 dez. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880. WASHING BOOKS. (In English and Chinese.)

TATASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use V of Ladies and Gentlemen, are not ready at this Office.-Price, \$1 each. CHIRA MAIL Office.

TO BE SOLD OF LET.

WELL BUILT HOUSE on Northern Slope of MOUNT KRILET. For Particulars, apply to H. A. WOULNOUGH,

Hongkong Dispensory. Hongkong, March 13, 1880.

To Let.

TO LET. THE FIRST FLOOR of House No. 4 Prays Rast, Logether with the GROUND FLOOR, or separately.

MEYER & Co.,

Hongkong, April 10, 1880. TO LET

Furnished HOUSE in Cares ROAD. Apply H. A. WOOLNOUGH Horselmany Disputerry Honghong, March 25, 1880.

TO LET. N MARKS LOT No. 86, FIRST-GLASS GRANTE GODOWSE Apply to BUTTER & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

> Mr. Andrew Wind. Butte Acert &c.

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To Let.

TO LET. THORRIGH DWELLING HOUSES the Hollywood Road, containing 1700 BE SOLD by Public Auction, on Rooms and Our-Houses. Nos. 3 and 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, April 7, 1880.

VIOTORIA PRAK-SUMMER RE-BIDENCE.

TTO LET .- COMMODIOUS RUNGALOV with Tounis Lawn, Servanta' Quarters and Cook-house, Apply to J. G. SMITH & Co.,

5, Duddell Street. Houghong, March 31, 1880.

10,000 Fquare Feet, at SPRING GARDEN, on view of the harbour.

Apply to BRERETON & WOTTON, Solicitors, 29, Queen's Road. Hongkong, February 4, 1880.

TO LET. TIWO HOUSES, Nos. 14 and 16, Stanley

TEMPERANCE HALL. Two ROOMS in CLUB CHAMBERS. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, February 7, 1880.

Auctions.

FURNITURE SALE.

TALEGANT and Substantial French and English made HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE to be sold by the Under-

PUBLIC AUCTION. At No. 8, Mosque Terrace, on TUESDAY.

the 4th May, 1880, at 2 c'Clock p.m., comprising :-Mahogany Velvet Covered Drawing Room Suit, Mahogany Marble-top Centre Table, Large Chimney Glass, Mahogany and Galvanized Iron Bedstead, with Spring and Hair Matresses and Pillows, Wardrobe, with Plate Glass Front, Wal-Board, Moderator Chandelier with Candelabra and Moderator Lamps,

(Most of the above Furniture is in the Style of Louis XV.) A Patent Hydropathic Douche Bath.

A Very Fine COTTAGE PIANO, Large Japanese Bronze Vases and

TERMS OF SALE .- As customary. ECA DA SILVA & Co., Auctionsers. Hongkong, April 26, 1880.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Hon. W. H MARSH to sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,

TULES MUMM & Co.'s the 5th May, 1880, at 2 p.m., at his Residence.—The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising:-

covered Couch, Cretonne-covered Otto- Boiler Tubes, Rivets, Washers, Charcon man. Folding Chairs, Centre Table, and Sheet Iron; Bar Iron, assorted sizes Blackwood Marble-top Tables.

Chairs, Whatnots, Dinner, Dessert and tres for Wood Sheaves, Pig Iron, Old the 30th proximo. Breakfast Sets, Glassware and Plated Cast Iron, &c., &c.

Single and Double Iron Bedsteads. Lady's Double-winged Wardrobe, Chest of Drawers, Cheval Glass, Writing Table. Toilet Table and Glass, and Washstand. A Semi-Grand Piano, by J. Broadwood and Sons

Catalogues will be issued, and the whole to be on view on and after Tues day, the 4th May.

TERMS OF SALE .- As customary, J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, April 30, 1880.

VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY.

1110 be Sold in the Premises by Public of by private sale), BY THE UNDERSIGNED,

Under Instructions of the Lessor, on MONDAY, the 10th day of May, 1880, at 4 p.m., Being Lot No. 188, and known as

THE ORIENTAL HOTEL BUILDINGS, Los 1.-Two HOUSES, Nos. 2 & 24, nituated in Wyndham Street. Lot 2.—One HOUSE, No. 22, situ-

ated in the Corners of Wyndham and Wellington Streets. Lot 8,....One HOUSE, known as "The Oriental Hotel," in Wyndham Street monthly rental, \$880 Yearly Crown Hent. 693.79.

The above will be sold in one of three Lots, to suit purchasers. A portion of the purchase money can be left on mortgage at 5 per cent Terms of Sala --- As customary. For full particulars, apply to ECA DA BILVA & Co.,

Hongkong, April 26, 1880.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

TUESDAY, the 25th day of May, 1880, at Noon, at "THE VICTORIA FOUNDRY,"

(If not previously sold by Private Contract, of which due notice will be given), The BUSINESS of ENGINEERS and SHIPWRIGHTS lately carried on by Messes J. Inglis & Co., known as the "VICTORIA FOUNDRY," situate at Spring Gardens, Victoria, together with Kwon Yung Po at their residence, aforeall the Valuable PLANT, MACHINE-RY, TOOLS and STOCK-IN-TRADE, and Kwok Yung Po, at their Office, 29, TO BE LET, on Lease for BULLDERS, . | and the TRADE FIXTURES and FIT-Prece of GROUND, containing about TINGS, and STEAM LAUNCHES, a Inland Let No. 199, commanding a good Large Stock of Valuable PATTERNS and the GOODWILL of the BUSI-

TOOLS comprise the following :-

Six surfacing, sliding, screw cutting LATHES, all by first class makers, assorted heights and lengths, from 4 feet Street, lately in the occupation of the distance between centres to 26 feet ditto, and from 6 inch height of centres to 1 inch ditto, fitted with making-up Blocks, Face Plates, Driver Chucks and Dog Chucks, Screw Gear, &c.

Four Double Gear and Single Gear DRILLING MACHINES, assorted and sizes, by Smith Beacock & Tannett. One PLANING MACHINE, by same makers, 10 feet by 4 feet by 4 feet. One Powerful SCRBWING MA-

CHINE, with Taps and Dies. One Eight Horse-power ENGINE and BOILER for Driving Machinery. One very Substantial 74 cwt. STEAM HAMMER, by Harvey & Co. One Hundred and Fifty Feet DRIV-ING SHAFTING, with Wall Brackets,

Pulleys, &c. One Six Horse-power ENGINE and Silent Fan; and one 80 Fire Roots' PATENT BLOWER, with Shafting, Two PUNCHING and SHEARING

MACHINES. Two Sets BENDING ROLLS. One set GRINDING MACHINERY. Stones, Laps, &c. Eighteen VICES, with Benches, &c.

and Blacksmith's ANVILS, TOOLS, FORGES, and all necessary Fittings for Boiler Making. Coppersmith's Iron and Brass Founding and other branches of Engineering Gear; Four Iron Cupolas, assorted sizes; Five Patent Brass Furnaces assorted for different sized Crucibles; large Drying Stove with Iron Carriage

on Rails; small Drying Stoves and Core Benches. April, inclusive. Trying Plates, Ship Frame Bending Plates, Boiler Plate Furnace.

A complete Stock of MOULDING my5 BOXES and Iron Ladles, and Coal and Charcoal Grinder and Loam Bench. The PATTERNS are of all descriptions, and comprise Plain and Bevel

Gear Wheels, Pulleys, Furnace Bars and various Deck Fittings. Also, sets of High-pressure and Compound Engine Patterns, varying from 4 to 60 Horsepower, nominal, Vertical and Horizontal.

THE STOCK-IN-TRADE consists of an Assortment of Brass Fittings for Boilers Cretonne-covered Drawing-room Suite. and Engines, Copper Plates and Tubes, English-made Mahogany Morocco- Bolts and Nuts assorted, Boiler Plates, a large quantity of Cast Steel Bars, Extension Dining Table, Dining-room Blister Steel, Cast Iron Sheaves, Cen-

> One STEAM WINCH. Two HAND WINCHES.

One JIB CRANE, complete. Four STEAM BOILERS of various One pair of LIFTING SHEARS and

One STEAM-LAUNCH, about 60 feet long, with House, Double Engines. &c., complete, and VERY FAST. One Deck STEAM-LAUNCH, about 50 feet long, with Cabin, Compound Engines, &c., complete.

The whole of the Property will be offered for Sale in One Lot as a going concern; if not so sold, it will be put up for Sale in Lots, on TUESDAY, the DATES OF ISTREET ALLOWED ON DE GROUND PLOOR of Houses Nos. 3 1 Auction (if not previously disposed 25th day of May next, and following

Catalogues will be issued; the whole will be on view for one week previous to the Sale. Further particulars can be obtained from Messra Sharp, Toller & Johnson, solicitors, Supreme Court House, or from the Undersigned. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,

Auctioncera. Hongkong, April 20, 1880.

NOTIOE.

CHALRD TENDERS will be received by the Undersigned until Noon, on SATURDAY, the 5th of May, for RECON-STRUCTING a part of the Walls of COAL SHED at Rowloom and separately, for Sundry Repairs to Buildings, &c. Further information may be obtained on J. BREMNER,

Natal Storekeeper, H. M. n Neval Yard, my10 1 Hongkong, 24th April, 1880.

Intimations.

In the Matter of the Estate of KWOK AOHEONG, late of Hongkong, Merchant, Deceased.

NTOTICE is hereby given, that all Credi tors and other Persons having any CLAIMS or DEMANDS upon or against the Estate of KWUK ACHEONG, who died at Victoria in the Island of Hongkong Daylight. on the 22nd day of April, 1880, and whose Will was duly proved by Kwok YIN KAI and Kwok Your Po, of No. 8, Queen's Road West, Victoria, aforessid, in the Supreme Court of Hongkong, in its Probate Jurisdiction on the 30th day of April, 1880, are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their Claims or Demands to the said Kwok XIN KAI and said, or to Messra BRERETON & WOTTON the Solicitors of the said KWOK YIN KAI Queen's Road, Victoria, aforesaid on or before the 1st day of September, 1880. And Notice is hereby also given, that at the expiration of the last mentioned day the said Kwok YIN KAI and KWOK YUNG Po will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Kwok Achkone, amongst the Parties The PLANT, MACHINERY, and of which the said Kwok Yin Kar and Kwok Yung Po or their Solicitors the said Messes Brereron & Worron have then had notice; and that the said KWOK YIN KAI and Kwok Youg Po will not be liable for the Assets, or any part thereof so distributed, to any person of whose Claim the said Kwok Yin Kar and Kwok Youg Po had not had notice at the time of the distribution.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1880. BRERETON & WOTTON, 29, QUEEN'S ROAD, . Hongkong.

NOTICE

A N EXTRAORDINARY GEVERAL A MEETING of the MEMBERS of the Honoxong CLUB will take place at the Club House on W. DNESDAY, the 5th May next, at 4.80 p.m., for the purpose of confirming the Resolution passed at the Annual General Meeting held yesterday. By Order,

EDWARD BEART, Hongkong, April 22, 1889.

NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE SHANGHAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, IN LIQUIDATION.

Shanghai, 1st April, 1880. TWELFTH RETURN of CAPITAL and A A CUMULATIONS at the Bate of THREE TABLE, Two Macs and Five CANDARRESS (Tls. 3.25) per SHARE, will be made to Shureholders of Record on 2nd April, Payable at the Office of the Liquidators, on FRIDAY, 9th April.

Warrants will then be delivered by the Undersigned to Shareholders, or their lawful representatives, on presentation of Share Certificates for Endorsement The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be ULOSED from the 2nd to the 9th

RUSSELL & Co., Liquidators G. PALCONER & Co.,

By Order,

WATCH AND CHRONOMETER MANUFACTURERS, JEWELLERS. NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS AND BOOKS.

48, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, April 20, 1880. NOTICE.

A LL persons having CLAIMS against the figure of the late B, R. Wicz-HAM, in China, and all persons IND &BTED thereto, are requested to forward their claims, and to make payment of their indebtedness to the undersigned, on or before

J. C. WARDLAW. Executor & Liquidator of the above Estate

Amoy, 2 pril 21, 1880.

DENTAL NOTICE. TAR. ROGERS, now on a visit to SHANG HAI, will return to Hongkong early

in the Winter as usual. Hongkong, April 1, 1880.

DYNAMITE, FUSES, DETONATORS THOM NOBELS EXP. OSIVES OO, LIMITED, GLASGOW, can be had in any Quantity on application to

THE BORNEO Co., Ld., Agente.

Hongkon , March 8, 1880. Shipping.

Steamers.

STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS. The P. & O. B. N. Co.'s Steemsbip "Geclong," apected shortly, will leave for the above on or about 8:h Mar.

A. Molver,

duperintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, April 29, 1880.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship Braener Carlle."

THOMSON, Commander, or pocked tiers on of about the 4th Prox., will have immediate despatch for the above Ports For Freight or Passage, apply to

CASTLE LINE OF STHAMERS.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Hongkong, April 80, 1880.

Shipping.

Steamers. FOR AMOY AND TAIWANFOO.

The Steamship Capt B. Ashron, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEUNESDAY, the 5th Inst., at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, May 1, 1880.

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUL The Steamship " Halloong." Captain Pocoon, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 6th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, May 1, 1880. FOR BANGKOK The British Steamer 14 Oleveland," Captain HARVEY, will be despatched for the above Port on THURSDAY Next, the 6th May,

For Freight or Passage, apply to KUNG ONN, No. 58, Praya West. Hongkong, April 80, 1880.

FOR AMOY. The Steamship " Emeralda" Captain Talsor, shortly despatch for the above fort For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkous, May 1, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship

Capt. J. KIRKPATRICK, will be despatched on or about the 4th proxime. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTY FIELD & SWIRE.

NEDERLANSCH INDISCHE STOOM VAART-MAATSCHAPPY. STEAM FOR MANILA, MACASSAR, SOURABAYA, SAMARANG AND BATAVIA. The Co,'s Steamship

Hongkong, April 22, 1880.

Gracef von Bylands,"
Captain E. C. WESSELS,
will be despatched for the above Ports, via MACAO, on or about the 10th Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Agents. Hongkong, April 22, 1880. FOR COOKTOWN, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE (Calling at PORT DARWIN if sufficient inducement offers and Taking Cargo and Passengers for all Australian and New Zealand Ports.)

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

J DE RIDDER, Commr., will be despatched as The Steamer above on ImuRaDAY, the 18th Proz., at For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, April 80, 1880. NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS

Polga,"
Commandant Guirand, will be despatched for YOK .H. MA shortly after the arrival of the next French Mall from Europe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Hongkong, April 80, 1880.

The Co.'s Steamship

NOTIOE. COMP ONIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS The Co.'s Steamship

Commandant GAUVATE, HANGHAL shortly after her arrival from of their Goods. G. DE CHAMPEAUX

Bailing Vessels.

Hongkovg, April 80, 1880.

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For Freight, apply to BENEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, April 30, 1880

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Leave quick despaich. For Freight apply to BUSBELL & Co.

Rongkong, April 24, 1880.

Shipping.

Sailing Vessels. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship "Wm H. Marcy" Marov, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Ho gkong, April 24, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK The A 1 American Bark "James N. Stone," WESTER, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 24, 1880. FOR NEW YORK.

W. C. Wabland, Master, will load bers for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

The A 1 American Ship

Hongkong, April 21, 1880; FOR LONDON. The A 1 German Barque Winter, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch.

VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, April 21, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship BEARSE, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

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VOGEL & Od. Hongkong, April 8, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. The 4 1 British Bark MATNARD, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1880. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship 'aptain CLowes, will load here for the above Port, and will

Hongkong, March 27, 1880. FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Bark SMITH, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

VOORE & Co.

For Freight, apply to Vogel & Co. Hongkong, March 15, 1880.

Notices to Consignees. FROM LONDON, SINGAPORE AND

PENANG. THE Steamable Strathleses having are rived from the above Poris, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of Mesers Norther & Co., whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 3th Instant will be subject to rent.

BIRLEY & Co., Hongkong, May 1, 1860. NEDERLANSCH-INDISCHE STOOM. VAART MAATSCHAPPY. FROM BATAVII, SAMABANG, SOU.

RABAYA, MACABSAR & MANILA.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

THE Steam ship Grouf von Bylands having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by Ler are hereby requested to send in the Hills of Lading to the Undersigned for counterwill be despatched for signature, and to take immediate delivery Cargo impeding her displarge will be at once landed and stored at Donalgreen risk

> JARDINE, MATHERON & Co. Honekone April 87, 1881 FROM YOROHAMA, KOBE AND

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and expense.

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STITORE, HORE Parage will be thankfully received

at the Ballor's Bome, Wast Peint Hongkong, July 25, 1878,

For Sale.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. JUST BECEIVED AND FOR SALE. AND POPULAR B. O. O K S.

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"Roses and Holly." "Pen and Pencil Pictures from Poets." "Gems of Literature." 4 Book of Elegant Extracts." "Golden Gift Book."

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"Fifty Calebrated Men." "Robinson Crusoe." " Household Stories." Noyce's "Boys' Book of Industrial Informa-

"Famous Boys,"
"Merchant's Clerk." Poe's "Tales of Mystery."

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Graham's "Household Medicine."

Gardner's "Household Medicine." Piddington's "Sailors' Horn Book," Goodfellow's "Merchant's Calculator." "Girls' Own Treasury." Peper's " Boys' Play Book Science. Foden's "Boiler Maker, &c." Bunyan's " Law of Fire Insurance." Byrne's "Essential Elements of Practical Mechanics."

"Corner Cupboard." Croll's "Climate and Time." Dawson's "Origin of the World." "Church Services." Whittaker's "Almanack for 1880." Duncan's "Transformation of Insects." Jones' "Book-Keeping." Jones' Book-Keeping for Schools, with

Cassell's "Sets of Ruled Books for Book-Keeping Lessons." Cassell's "French and English Correspond-

Cornwell's "Geography." Cornwell's "Arithmetic." Cornwell's "Grammar." Murray's "Grammar." MacCulloch's "Course of Reading." "Practical Arithmetic," Senior. Smith's "Smaller History of Gresco." Smith's "Smaller History of Rome." Motley's "Rise and Fall Dutch Republic." Motley's "United Netherlands." Barneveld's "Life and Death." "Enquire Within." Nories' "Epitome." "Ingoldaby Legends." Humes' "Essays,". Smith's "Wealth of Nations." Boys' Own Treasury." "Comic History of England." "Comic History of Rome." "Carpenter's Synonyms." Roger's "Thesaurus."

Crabb's "English Synonyms." Anderson's " Mercautile Correspondence.' Blakeley's "Commercial Dictionary." "Slang Dictionary." Nuttall's "Standard Dictionary. Ogilvies' " Students' Dictionary. Ogilvies' "Smaller Dictionary." Smith's "Synonyms." "Dictionary of Quotations." Chambers's "Arithmetic and Key." " Manual of Arithmetic." Manual of Mechanics. "Manual of Steam Engine."

"Manual of Tides and Tidal Currents," "Manual of Mathematical Tables." Dickens's "Child's History of England." Hand Book "Travel Talk." Bancroft's "History of United States." "Ohild's Guide to Knowledge." "Child's Fable Book."

Maunder's "Treasury of Knowledge. Maunders "Botany." Maunder's "Biographical Treasury."

Maunder's "Scientific and Historical Trea-

Maunder's "National History." Ayres' "Bible History." Pewtner's "Comprehensive Specifier."
Froude's "Short Studies." Bourne's " Recent Improvements." Humes "History of England." White's "Latin and English Dictionary." Buckle's "History of Civilization in Eng

Amos' "Primer English Constitution." Swinburne's "Picture Logic." Smith's Wit and Wisdom." Gray's "Catalogue of Postage Stamps," Burn's "Self Ald Cyclopedia." Jones' "English System of Book Keeping." "Manners Modern Society." Routledge's "Boys' Annual." "Language, do of Flowers." Spencer's "Speial Statics." Spencer's "Bindy of Sociology." Spencer's "First Principles."

Spencer's "Principles of Sociology."

Spencer's "Ceremonial Government." Spencers " Essays." Baydn's Dictionary of Science."

Smyth's "Our Inheritance in the Great Heavell's Engineer's and Mechanic's Pooket Book." Voyage of ILM.S. Challenger ?"
"Compendium of Universal History." Macanlays !! History of England !! Macanlays !! Oritical & Historical Essays. Macaulay Writings and Speeches." "Cabited Lawyer."

Sheppard's " Fall of Rome." Dr Ahn & Studies in French & Garman Ollendorff . "Method" in the study Language suppted to the French Spanish and German. NOVELS

NOVELS BOHOOL BOOKS, MAPS, &c., &c.

Hongkong, March 24, 1880.

Mails.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEROTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR

NOTICE.

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, FOINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES:

BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AN PORT LOUIS.

ON SATURDAY, the 8th of May, 1880, at Noon, the Company's S. S. ANADYR, Commi, Dr. Boisseoil Baron, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and socepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until

Noon. Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 7th of May, 1880. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

> Agent. Hongkong, April 28, 1880.



G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE AND INLAND SEA.

THE S. S. SUMIDA MARU, Captain HUBINER, due bere on or about the 10th Instant, will be despatched as above tion in Premia for LIFE Insurance in on SATURDAY, the 15th May, at Day- China -

Cargo received on board and Parcels at the Office up to 6 p.m. of 14th May. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 All Claims must be settled on board

before delivery is taken, otherwise they will not be recognized. RATES OF PASSAGE. To Kosz......Cabin \$60. Steerage \$15.

" YOKOHAMA &. Do. \$75. Do. 80. NAGABARE ... A REDUCTION is made on RETURN CABIN ASSAGES. CARGO and PASSENGERS for Nagasak will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail Steamer at Kobe. For further Particulars, apply at the Company's OFFICES, No. 50A, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Hongkong, May 1, 1880.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE CENTRAL

UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING RAILROAD COMPANIES

ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. OOEANIC, Captain J. MET. CALFE, will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohama, on MONDAY, the 10th May, 1880, at 3 p.m., taking Cargo and Parsengers for Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central and South America,

and Kurope. Connection is made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai, Freight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 9th May, PALOEL PACK-Acus will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. samo day: all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

A REDUCTION is made on RETURN PAS-SAGE TICKETS. Consular Invoices to acompany Overland, Mexican, Central and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company Offices addressed to the Collector of Customs. San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central. G. B. EMORY, Agent, Hongkong, April 24, 1880.

mylu Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

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UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING RAILROAD COMPANIES

HINE AND STOLEN

ATLANTIC STEAMERS. FIRE S. S. BELGIO will be despatch-L ed for San Francisco via Yokohama. on FRIDAY, the 21st May, 1880, at 3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central and South America, and Europe.

Connection is made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai. Breight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 20th May. PARCEL PACKAGES will be received at the Office should be marked to address it full; value of same is required.

A REDUCTION is made on RETURN Pis-Consular Involves to scoompany Over-land, Mexican Central and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Offices addressed to the Collector of Cust toms. San Francisco: For further information as to Freight

Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central 25,000 at reduced rates G. B. EMORY, Agent. Hongroug, April 23, 1880.

Insurances.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.) CAPITAL, TWO MILLIONS STEELING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vosaels in Barbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be: ceived, and transmitted to the Directe for their decision. If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

For Rates of Premiums, forms of propossis or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., · Agents, Dongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY, Incorporated by Royal Charter and

Special Acts of Parliament,

ESTABLISHED 1809. CAPITAL £2,000,000.

MHE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FiRE, to the Containing from 72 to 84 columns of closely extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20 per cent.

GILMAN & Co., Agents. Hoogkong, July 6, 1875.

SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIRE AND LIFE.

TNSURANCES against FIRE granted at Current Rates. Considerable Reduc-

MEYER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, June 2, 1879.

SWISS LLOYD

TRANSPORT INSURANCE COMPANY OF WINTERTHUR, INSURANCES granted on MARINE

RISKS to all parts of the World. MEYER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, June 3, 1879.

TTANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up).....Tls. 420,000

TOTAL CAPITAL and Ac.) CUMULATION, 25tbTla. 856,370

Directors. F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman M. W. BOYD, Esq. | WM. MEYERINE, Esq. C. LUCAS, Keq. S. D. WEBB, Esq.

HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAI. Mesers RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries. LONDON BRANCH,

Mesara BARING BROTHERS & Co., Bankers. FULLARTON HENDERSON, Enq.,

8, St. Michael's Alley, Cornhill, E.C. Policies granted on Marine Risks to all

parts of the World. Subject to a charge of 12 % for Interest on Shareholders' Capital, all the PROFITS \$38 to \$65, the Single Set. of the Underwetting Business will be They will also be clad to annually distributed among all Contributors for LOUBLE HARNESS of all Descripof Business in proportion to the Premlum paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, October 1, 1879.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant In-

aurances at current rates. MELCHERS & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

Hongkong, October 27, 1874. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED,

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of A China and Japan, and at Singapore, vings, Fender and Fire Irons, Iron Bed-Salgon and Penang. Risks socepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at the above mentioned Ports.

NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEES. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Scoretary. Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER His Majesty King George The First,

T) HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages | prepared to grant Insurances as follows :-Marine Department

A. D. 1720.

Policies at current rates payable either here, in London or at the principal Ports of India Uhina and Australia Hire Department. Policies issued for long or short periods at gurrent rates. A discount of 20 % allowed.

Life Department, or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Policies issued for some not exceeding HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

Insurances.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are propared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent to 445,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at ourrent local-rates, anbject to a Discount of 20% on the Premis. NORTON & Co.

.fgents, Houghous, January 1, 1874.

MANORESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling of which is paid up £ 100,000 Reserve Fund upwards of £ 120,000 ... Annual Income £ 250,000

THE Undersigned have been appointed . Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Haukow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at ourrent rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hengkong, October 15, 1868.

NEWS FOR HOME. The Overland China Mail.

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Hongkong, Canton, &c., and a complete Commercial Summary. Subscription, 50 cents per Copy (postage paid 56 cents.) \$12 per annum (postage paid \$13.50.) Orders should be sent to Gro. MURRAY

BAIM, China Mail Office, 2, Wyndham Street, not later than noon of the day the shipment, arriving one week later than by English Mail Steamer leaves. Torms of Advertising, same as in Dally transferred to the Calcutta steamer at China Mail.

To-day's Advertisements.



TREABURY-BILLS.

MIENDERS of SPECIE, Mexican Dollars current in this Colony, weighing 7.17, in exchange for BILLS, drawn at 10 CEIVED by the TREASURER until 12, Noon, WEDNESDAY, the 5th Instant.

The Tenders to state the Total Amount required, and the Amount for which each Bill should be drawn; but no Eills will be issued for sums below £1,000. The Tenders to be in duplicate, in Scaled | W F S | Dress Goods, from London. Covers, addressed to "The Treasurer," and endorsed "Tenders for Treasury Bills." The right to accept, or reject, any or all the Tenders is reserved.

J. MUSKETT, Captain, Treasurer. Freasury Office, Commissariat Buildings Queen's Road. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1880.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. invite inspection of SILVER and BRASS MOUNTED, COB SIZE, GIG HARNESS, which they have just Received from F. MAWHOOD, Carriage and Harness Manufacturer, Shanghai. Prices: from

They will also be glad to receive Orders tions; also BRIDLES, HEAD-STALLS, MUZZLES, SPARE REINS (Single and Double), STIRRUP LEATHERS, FET-LOCK BOOTs, &c., and hope shortly to receive Designs for CARRIAGES, &c., &c. The above HARNESS is made of the best Leather and by English Workman. Hongkong, May 3, 1880.

FURNITURE AUCTION. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have 4 been instructed to sell by Public Auction, at the Residence of Mrs Mone East Point, on

MONDAY.

the 10th May, at 2 o'Clock p.m.,-The HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE Comprising: Green Rep covered Drawing-room Fuite, Cheffonier, Mirrors, Marble-top Tables, Crockery, Glazaware, Sideboard, Dining Table, Chairs, Engrasteads with Spring and Horse-Hair Mattresses, Wardrobes, Marble-top Washstands and Dressing Tables, Toilet Glasses.

A Lady's SEDAN CHAIR and EVENING CHAIR, TERMS OF SALE, - As usual. Hongkong, May 3, 1880.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOODHOW The Steamship The Steamship
"Kwangtung,"
Captain Amorr will be
despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAT, the 5th Instant, at Daylight ..

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Dongkong, May B, 1880. FOR YOROHAMA (DIRECT).

BRANTHWATEN, Commer. the 5th Inst, will have immediate despatch for the above Park For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Monte Hongkong, May 3, 1880.

To-day's Advertisements.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR BHANGHAI PIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for OHEFOO, NEWOHWANG, TIEN-TSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTEZE.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain F. T. Brace, will be despatched on or about the 10th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. Hongkoug, May 3, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL, The Co.'s Steamship Capt. M. H. F. Jackson, will be despatched on or about the 18th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, May 8, 1880.



STEAM FOR BINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI TERRANEAN PORTS, SOUTH-AMPTON, AND LONDON,

VIA BOMBAY; BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALOUTTA, AN AUSTRALIA.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam abip NIZAM, Captain G. W. BLADY, will leave this on MONDAY, the 17th Instant, at 5 p.m.

Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed vid Bombay without trandirect route. Silk and Valuables will be

Hongkong, May 8, 1880. my17 COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

A. MolVER, Superintendent.

MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

For further Particulars, apply to

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ex Peino. M K (in paraig.) No. 88, Order, 1 case Haberdashery, from London. KJ j (in paralg.) No. 200, Or., 1 case PF&O 172/83, Order, 12 cases Colors, For BANGKOK .-from London,

Mr Walter Allum, 2 cases Wearing Apparel, from London. L T 305, Mesers Ulmann & Co., 1 case Watches, from Marseillen. M 5 (in triangle) Order, 95 bags Ginger, from Galle. G. DE ORAMPEAUX.

Hongkong, May 3, 1880.

Not Responsible for Debts. A Teither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels; during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-Annie S. Hall, American barkenting, Capt. Chas. H. Nelson. - Wieler & Co. WANDEBING MINSTREL, Pritish barque,

OTTO, British brig, Captain F. A. Koch, -Landstein & Co. COMPTON, British steamer, Captain Cowie. - Siemesen & Co.

Capt. W. Sivewright .- Siemsen & Co.

SERIFIS, British steamer, Capt. Samuel F. North. -- Melchers & Co. Java, British steamer, Capt. J. de Rid-der.—Siemssen & Co. Archan, British steamer, Captain J. Rowley.-Birley & Co. MARYMETHE, German barque, Ceptain

SHIPPING.

Thiesen - Wieler & Co.

ARRIVALS. May 1, Garibaldi, American barque, 670 T. J. Forbes, Touron April 20, General.-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. May 1, Kiungchow, British steamer, 159, A. N. Love, Hoihow April 80, General-K. Achrong & Sons. May 2, Remeralda, British steamer, 395, R. Talbot, Manila April 29, General.— Russeri & Co. May 2, Kwangtung, British steamer, 874, Abbots, Foochow April 29, Amoy 30, and Swalow May Ir General -- Doughar Lia-PRAIR & Co. May 2, Consolation, British steamer, 764, R. Young, Bangkok April 24, General-

May 2. Ningpo, British steamer, 761, *H. Casa, Shanghat April 28, General. BIEMESEN & Co. DREARTURES May 2. Hassar, for Hollow.
2. Claverhouse for Hangarik.
2. Namea, for Lossi Pursa.
2. Clensagies, for Ropanow.
2. Ningpo, for Canton.
3. Congrest, for Hollow.
3. Grant von Bylana, for Amoy.
3. Margues del Duero, for Canton.
3. Kemeralda for Amoy. Kang chi, for Hollow.

OLEARED. Wandering Minstrel, for Cheloo. Strathleses, for Shanghai. Peru, lot London. Formore for Plentain
Kinninghow, for Rothow,
Kwanglung, for Coast Ports.
Yottung, for Swatow.

ASSENCERS

ARRIVED. Per Kunngiung from Coast Ports, Capt.

P. P. C. Goode, Mesays Ebell and Mc.

Gregor, 100 Chinese, and 6 Europeans Per Garibaidi, from Touren, 20 Chinese. Per Kinngchow, from Holbow, 12 Chi-

Per Beneralda, from Manils, 66 Chinese. Per Consolation, from Bangkok, 80 Ohl-Per Nicype, from Shanghal, 29 Chinese.

DEPARTED. Per Namoa, for Swatow, Mr J. R. Harding; for Amoy, Mrs Bird, Lady Superiorers, and Mr Maria Stule ; for Foochow, Messra W. H. Harton, M. W. Greig, F. England, W. Grabam, Dr. P. Adams, Mr and Mrs Weeks Per Haison, for Hollow, 1 European, and 15 Chinese

Per Conguest, for Hollow, 47 Chinese.
Per Emeralda, for Amoy, 60 Chinese.
Per Chinksong, for Shanghai, 2 Europeans, and 20 Chinese. Per Kang chi, for Hothow, &c., 80 Chi To DEPART. Per Peru, for London, 1 Buropesn.

Per Kicangiung, for Coast Ports, 4 Euro-peans, and 200 Chinese. Per Fettung, for Swatow, 90 Chinese.

The American barque Garibaldi reports Light East and N. E. wind with smooth not until April 28th, then strong E.N.E. wind. The British steamer Emeralde reports Fresh E.N.E. and N.E. breezes and fine weather to within 80 miles off port, thence thick rainy weather and strong wind from

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Kwangtony reports: Left Foochow on the 29th inst. Amoy on the SUth, and Swatow on the lat May. During the first part had rainy weather, Interly overcest and moderate. Passed steamer off Cupchi Point bound North passed a steamer off Chelang Point bound North In Amoy: S. S. Stenler, and H.M.S. Froliq. In Swatow: H. I. O. M. S. Chen-to, S. S. Lee Yven, and Castello.

POST OFFICE NOTICES, MAILS will close;

For YOKOHAMA. Per S. F. Semda, on Tuesday, the 4th May. Registry ceases at 11.15 a.m. Mail closes at 11.80. Paid Correspondence may then be posted in the moveable box on board the Packet For AMOY AND TAIWARFOO. Per Albay, at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, the

4th inst For HOLHOW. Per Kinngchow, at 5 p.m. To-morrow, the 4th inst. instead of as pre viously notified.

For SWATOW .-

4th inst, instead of as previously For BAIGON .-Per Serapis, at 4.30 p.m., on Wednesday, the 5th inst., instead of as previously.

Per Yothung, at o p.m. To-morrow, the

For AMOY AND TAMSUL-Per Hailoong, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday,

Per Cleveland, at 4.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 6th lost. For JAPAN via KOBE .-Per Sumida Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 14th inst.

MAILS BY THE PRINCE PACKET. The French Contract Packet Anadyr will be despatched on SATURDAY, Settlemente, Ratavis, Burman, Ocylon, India (via Madras), Australia, New Zealand, Taamania, Fiji, Aden, Sues,

and Alexandria. the Mails, do. HOURS OF GLOSDIG THE FRENCH MAILS. The following hours are observed in closing

Mails, &c., by the French Contract Day before Departure,-5 ... P. M. -- Money Crder Office closes. Post Office closes, except the Night Box, which is siways open out of Office hours Day of Departure,-

A -Post Office grens.

AR -- Registry of Letters ceases A.H. -- Mails closed, except for Late 11.10 A M .- Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 11.30 A.M -when the Post Office closes

board the packet with Late

Fee of its cents until time of

MAILS ST. THE BROTISH PACEST. The British Contract Packet North the Vine May with Mails to one a little of the erroying of man availed. through the United Kingdom and man we seemed help sinked by that the property of Beauties for the Steals structure like an under or unnecessary state. And the seemed comparisons of departments in the powers of heads of departments in the Colory has done for orwarding Correspondence to Man more harm than wood to the administra-Tric Assention

MEMOS FOR TO-MORROW. Auction. Abotion of Household Furniture, Ma, at No. 8, Mosque Terrace, (by Bos da Silva & Co.)

General Memoranda.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 5 -- Daylight -- Albay leaves for Amoy, &c. Daylight - Kucastiand leates for Court Non Tenders for Treasury Bills re-2 p.m. -Auction of Household Furniture, des, at the residence of Hon W. H. Mark (or Mar.) M. Assastrong)
4 80 p. m. Alsesing of the Members of
the Hoppinson City.
(ROSBRAC May 6

Daylight - Harloong leaves for Amoy, do. Sarvaday, May 8 :-Noon.—Tenners for Naval Yard works Noon. - Francis Mail leaves for Ports of

Call and Europe. Goods per Strathleren undelivered alter HONDAY, May 10 :-2 p.m. -- Austion of Household Furniture. at Mrs More's residence, East Point (by Mostra Lane, Crawlord & Co.) 4 p.m.-Sals of The Oriental Hotel

3 n.m. —Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co. a Steamer Oceanic leaves for Yokobama and San Brancisco. THURSDAY, May 13:-4 p.m. - Java leaves for Cooktown, Sydney, det.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Established A.D. 1841.

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Gingerade, Potes Water, Barsaparilla Water, and other Accested Water. The Manufactory is under direct and continuous Buropean Supervision. Hougkeng, June 1, 1876.

PASSENGERS erriving in Hongkong, or any

other persons who may desire to con-

Water, Lamonade, Topic Water,

suit the files of local China, Japan, American English Indian or Austra-lian newspapers, are invited to call at the "China Matt." Office, where over sixty newspapers, dailies and weeklies, from these countries, are now filed for

at 7,40 p.m. The China Mail.

The publication of this issue commenced

HONGEONG, MONDAY, MAY 3, 1880. As we hinted the other day, one o the subjects which must have been engaging the attention of Sir Michael Hicks-Beach when he made room for Lord Kimberley in the Colonial Office, was a definition of the position to be occupied by the Colonial Secretary of Hongkong, it seems at first sight a strange thing that the question should be opened, but it is nevertheless one the 8th May, with Malls to and which has been very seriously raised through the United Kingdom and since the arrival of Mr. Marsh. The Europe, sid Naples; to Salgon, Straits | departure of the present Colonial Secretary may form a fit occasion for an expression of opinion upon this matter. Regarding the attitude which H. E. the The usual hours will be observed in closing I Governor is credited with having from the first assumed towards the brads of departments here—viz., that he was resolved to stamp out everything like the departmental administration favoured by this predecessors something might be said on both sides. Under certain circumstances, it might be a grave mistaks to permit heads of departments to liave too smuch in their power; and close supervision and tight rein might populationally be absolutely necessary. Some heads of departments. might really be benefitted by being laid open to the same shabbing pro-Posting of all printed matter cess to which every one under and within reach of them have to submit and then Sir John Pote Hentresy avateen would work for the good of the mistic and the welfare of the Service. Under other conditions, however, this

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one's work and reduce to a minimum

the pleasure and energy essential, to

good service. With the unevenness of

an administration like that of the past

three years, marked as it has been by

a good deal of strong feeling and not

11.40 i.m. Late Letters may be posted departments as a superior grade of

not only paid a well-merited compliment accuracy and ability. By the time Mr Marsh H. E. Chow P'rayah Kosab Mahah Tibau- fined \$10, in default one month's imprisonto the gentlemen of the Civil Service of this Colony, but he entinciated that principle of resnousible Departmental though the termination of his leave will Government which most commends itself to those acquainted with Hongkong. he will have the temptation to retire on But, as we have said, the Colonial very handsome pension, we trust to see him Secretary, being the First Lieutenant, is specially responsible for the proper working of all the other departments; and his therough and complete indevice. There are so few mee of his calibre pendence is deemed to be an indispen-In the Service that we can ill afford to sable eigment of smooth and satisfactory official work. Hence the unquestionable one of them. We trust that the bright diseatisfaction felt at the new system future the Colonial Bervice offers to which seemed to withdraw from the gentleman of Mc Marsh's ability and in-Colonial Secretary's position much of dependence, the promise of usefulness in its recognised functions, to a so-called the highest walks of Colonial Government, Bureau or Secretariat at Government will overcome the blandishments of pen-Previous to Mr Marsh a are sloped case and dignity. The Colonial rival, and while Mr Gardiner Austin his temperary successors held the Secretary is made of the stuff which comoffice, it was generally believed that the poses good Governors; and he would confidence usually and properly reposed eredit to the Government nominating him in the Colonial Secretary was transferred to a responsible gubernatorial position. This state of things was not The Hon. C. B. Plunket leaves to morrow rother the reverse by the transference of Chinese petitions from for Nagasaki and Yokohama by the P. & O. the Registrar General's to the Colonia steamer Bunda. Mr Mosson goes with him Secretary's Department Documents, on leave. Mr Ng Choy was sworn in as Actwhich invariably had been first en ing Magistrate on Saturday, afternoon; Mr mitted for the consideration and annotation of the Colonial Secretary, were G. S. Northcote, at the same time, taking the oath as Coroner. Mr Ng Choy, the knowledge of the faw which his legal Mr Hennessy was his own Chief education in England and his practice at Secretary, although sometimes assistthe Bar have brought him, may be counted ed, in a semi-official sort of way. on as a fairly sale occupant of the Police The position to which Court Bench, seeing that he has the benefit Hon. W. H. Marsh came to fill was of the advice and guidance of such a senior as therefore one of some delicacy; and Mr C. V. Creagh, As Coroner Mr Northwhencit is borne in mind that this expecote makes his first appearance in official rienced officer undertook its duties while life outside the Registrar General's Office. armed with authority to assume the the absence of Mr Hennessy, this must have placed the status of Mr Marsh under a bushel, and it is satisfactory to beyond all dispute. In the meantime, know that he now has an opporthe active, useful and (according Whitaker) well-paid services of the socalled "Chinese Secretary" were being work of the department will proceed with brought prominently to the front; little every smoothness until the return of the departmental sorenesses were not infrequent, and friction became apparent all round the official compass. Dissatisfaction ended in probably two cases are in no way a criterion of a Government of estrangement; and it was that the Secretary of State for the. Colonies was called upon to put matters upon a proper footing. These considerations may possibly throw some light the Civil Servanta who have secured leave upon the hesitancy shown by the Colonial and their obliging friends. Office to sanction the formation of this new Chinese Department upon the lines desired by His Excellency. What will be THE following particulars of the life and the final decision of the Colonial Office authorities as to the relative positions Colonial Secretary and Governor's Chinese Secretary may be fairly guessed from the reluctance alrendy displayed to act, and the desire which is clearly evidenced to maintain the position of the Colonial Secretary Administrator in posse) undis-

We must return to this subject later

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

BUPPLIED TO THE "CHINA MAIL," (Per E. E. A. & O. Telegraph Co.'s Line.) fessor of Political Economy in the Univer-

TO MAUAO. LONDON, May 1. The Tamega, Portuguese war vessel, is ordered to Macao.

ANOTHER POLTUGUESE WAR-VESSEL ORDERED

THE MINISTRY : MR. CHAMBERLAIN AND MR.

PAWCETT PIND PORTS LONDON, May L.

Mr Chamberlain has been appointed President of the Board of Trade, with a ried a daughter of N. Garrett Esq. seat in the Cabinet.

Mr Fawcett, Postmaster General.

LONDON, May L.

Earl Comper, Lord Lieutenant of Ire-

HARL COWPER APPOINTED LORD LINUTENANT

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The next Amenican Marr may be expected here

on or about the 9th, by the Belgie, which left San Francisco on the 10th ult.

THE Agents (Mesers Gibb, Livingston & On Inform us that the S. S. Harter selled from Singapore for this on the 30th April.

THE O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Antenor, from Liverpool left Singapore yesterday afternoon for Hongkoug.

Ws understand the Government has been notified that the Estimates for the present year have been formally approved of by the and the fluency of speech with which he Secretary of State for the Colonics.

debating sociation In 1868 he was sp-In consequence of the resignation by Major Palmer, R. E., of the office of Aide de Camp the Birmingham Town Council . In 1873 to H.E. the Governor, the appointment has he became Chairman of the Birmingha b been given to Second Lieutenant Richard

C. C. Cox, of the 27th (Inniskillings)

ALION WINDSOR, a single woman residing brought before the general poblic in bah. in No. 34. Dage Street was found dead in 1878, when he came lower as the bed this morning about 10 o'clock. The general election, to oppose Mr Rosbuck at body was at once removed to the Govern: born polled petag 14,103 for Bostonia ment Civil Hospital, where no o abt full 12,858 for Mandelle, and 11,068 for Them cause of death. The deceased han been alling for some time past and it is said. from Parliamentary life. In the Rouse other impales fit the course were new own:

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March, having left life Contant on laws. Forther the Paster Fig. 11 The State of the duties of his office were inker over latty and to Leaders (September 187) on Seturday by Dr Stewart, we we had mor (Sucone 1974); and "The T previously intimased would be the case Method with the Prolicant Tollier No better selection, it is almost needless to say, could have been made. Dr Siewart uss 2 instinut alous filled the same acting appointment before, and the highest praise has been awarded to THE Stone Weekly Advertiser, (April 174b) him by the Governor for his painstaking learns that it is in contemplation to send !

dee, t'ee P'ra-klang, the Minister of Forarrives home he will have been close upon eign Affairs, on a special Mission to Eng land. He will be hearer of the grand 821 years to the Colonial Services and air Siamese order which H. M. the King of Siam will bestow upon H. M. the Queen ring him quite near upon the period when of England. It is said that the Minister will leave this city, the next time the Sixmeso steamer Banckok leaves this port, which will be in the latter part of this, or amongst us at his due date, resuming his | early part of next month. duties as head of the Permanent Civil Ser-

The Shanshai Shun Pao, April 27th, has the following, regarding the future disp sail of Chang How :-

News arrived yesterday from the north to the effect that Chung How would be pardoned and released within four or five ava and that he is likely to receive a title of third or fifth rank from his superior, in which office be may soon get to the rank of Futal or governor of a province. No reason is given as to why he is to be pardoned, but an Imperial edict is expected to be aigned in a few days, and the whole thing made public. Officials thick he is to be pardoned chirfly on account of influential documents and spologies made by different countries, and also through letters that have been received from Russis, saying that they would rather keep the peace with China. Russia has too many irons in

Naws has been received at Shanghai of the total wreck of the British schooner Floral Star, 244 tone, of Port Adelaide, while on a voyage from Yokohama to Newchwang in quality of legitimate public comment affectballant in Aview Bay, on Martha Point, a part of the Shantung Promontory. The wreck occurred at 4 a.m., on Fri sy, the 9th uit. The weather was thick at the time, and a strong wind was blowing from the South east. The captain sent a courier overland to Chefoo for amistance, and H. M. S. Pegasnis being in purt, proceeded to the apot and took the crew and what gour had been saved to Chefee, where a Court of Enquiry was held on the 20th ult. The mester was acquitted of all lame and his certificates were returned.

Police Intelligence. (Before C. V. Creagh, Esq.) Monday, May 3.

Whatever abilities he may have, up till the

present moment have been carefully hid

tunity of proving them. We hope the

holder of the appointment. These acting

minor appointments, as we have before

pointed out, mean little or nothing; they

confidence in or preference for the gentle-

man taking up the duties, but simply the

outcome of a private arrangement between

works of Mr Fawcett, the new Postmaster

General, are taken from Men of the Time:-

Fawcett, Henry, M.P., Professor of Poli-

tical Economy at Cambridge, son of W.

ated in high mathematical honours in 1856,

out shooting in Sept., 1858. Having writ-

ten and published * A Manual of Political

contested, on Liberal principles, South

wark, in 1857, the borough of Cambridge

in 1862, and Brighton in Feb., 1864; was

tuency at the general election in

1865; and was re-elected in 1868.

and revised edition of his "Manual

Political Koonomy" was published in 1869

with two new chapters, on "National Edu-

cation" and "The Poor Laws and their

Influence on Pauperism." He has since

of Aldeburgh, Suffolk, on April 28, 1867

jects; in 1874 Mrs Fawcett published a

fulfil the qualifications of property and re-

From the same source we take the fo

lowing extract regarding Mr. Chamberlain,

the new President of the Board of Trade:-

of the late Mr Joseph Chamberlain, a

member of one of the City Companies, was

born in London in 1836. Be was educated

at University College School, and after-

wards became a member of a first of wood-

screw makers at Birmingham (Nettlefold

and Chamberlain), which his father had

joined in 1864. He retired from business

in 1874 abortly after the decease of his

iather. Mr Chamberlain had at this sime

bisined a certain local celebrity in conse

menes of his advanced Radical opinion

expressed them in lone of the Blimingham

pointed Obsermen of the first Executive

Committee of the Education League and

an a loseman of Birmingham, and was shade

times specesively elected Mayor of the

Borough (1874 5 6). His name was first

effield. He was not successful, the num-

beclain. In June 1876, he was returned

considered by Mr. Dison's reliensed

of Design and Chairman of the National

Chamberlain, Joseph, M. P., eldest son

sidence demanded of the male elector.

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Economy," the !! Economic Position of the

DRUNK AND INCAPABLE. Edwin Radley, seaman on board the British barque Palestine; was charged with being drunk and incapable yesterday. Defendant admitted the charge and was fined 50 cents.

ROGUES AND VAGARONDS. Chang Afuk, a farmer, and Wong Afuk, unemployed, were charged with being rogues and vagabonds, and with being dangerous to the neace and good order of the Colony on the let instant.

P. C. 234, Li Apo, said that about halfpast I o'clock on Saturday last be saw the two defendants talking to another man in Third Street. He heard them say, " you give us each \$4." When the defendants naw the constable they ran away, the first defondant at the same time throwing down on the ground a piece of paper. On opening Fawcett, Esq., J.P., cf. Salisbury, born the paper a ring was found wrapped up in 1833, was educated at Trinity Hall, Cam- it, and the document itself purported to be bridge, of which he was a scholar : gradu- a bill of \$13.23 for a gold ring. The ring profiged was samped pure gold. It is gold, but is not gold. The first the same year. Mr Fawcett was totally defendant when arrested said he picked

deprived of his sight by an accident when the ring up in the street. Lam Tso Buk said, on Saturday afternoon he was on the Prays and noticed that the defendants were following him. followed him and passed him. He saw the and political science to various magazines first prisoner pick up a paper from the reviews, he was elected, in 1863, Pro- ground and take a ring from it. second defendant suggested that if witness have the ring and nothing more need be said about it, and the first defendant showed the bill for \$13.20. They were exand were going to run away when they

First defendant said he picked up the ring in the street. He did not ask the last witness for so much money. Second defendant said the first bloked up, and they only saked \$1 each for it. conviction of larceny in September last.

His Worship convicted both prisoners pretences, and mentenced the first prisoner Mrs Baweett, who was born in 1847, pubto aix months imprisonment with hard labour and to be exposed in the stocks for Beginners;" in 1872 Mr and Mrs Fawcett six hours; the second to be imprisoned. published a joint volume of ensays and with hard labour, for six weeks. sciures on political and economical sub-BREACH OF THE OPIUM ORDINANCE. nomy." Mrs Fawcett has taken an active Chol At. a doctor, was charged with having a quantity of prepared optum in his part in advocating the extension of the

possession on the 30th April, without a perparliamentary suffrage to those women who mit from the Upium Farmer. P. C 31. John Smith, said he went No. 14, Ship street, by virtue of a warrant and searched for opium. There were number of men in the house, and defendant tried to hide himself amongst them, by was caught and arrested. Two tine of opium were found in a drawer, close to where defendant had been sitting. Defendant said he was not the master of the house, but he lived there. Fined \$50, in default of payment to be

imprisoned for twenty one-days.

IN POSSESSION OF DEADLY WEAPONE. with being in possession of a deadly weapon, he not being the holder of a night pass. Defendant, who acts as an informer sambling bases, said he only borrowed the fighting fron found in his possession to repair his fish stell as it was broken. He admitted having no night pass. His Worship fined him in the sum of 210, in default of payment, fourteen days'

School Board of which he was first elected twelve months from this date. (Before the Hon. No Ohby. A TARTE FUE HANNEST. Pop Akin a servant and Lo Amul. widow, were charged with stealing a bottle brandy on the 2nd icat The first defendant pleaded guilly.
Mr A. G. Aitten, from gloon the brand

was stolen, said he had no syidence agains he second prisoner and wished to withdraw the charge against her The first prisoner was sentenced to two months imprisonment with hard labour, the second discharged.

CARRYING DRADLY WEAPORS. Chun Aling, The Sylk and Lum Au. goolies, were charged with darrying deadly calculation the Soft Last without being iokare of algul value o clock yesterder evening a mount of about Of persons were and pictured to Holly good Rose, where a disturbance was grange or disting The three prisoners rushed out of the tionse, and work arrested. On being searched they were found to have fighting from contested about their bersons. that in possession of the hird defendant was not considered a deadly weapon.

ment with hard labour, the third discharged.

A ROOTE AND VAGABORD. Loong Ahing, a painter, was convicted of being a rogue and vagabond and was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour.

SUSPICIOUS CHARACTERS. Ton Chinese were charged as suspicious characters, having been found armed in boat in Ty-Tam Bay for a supposed unlawful nurpose on the 1st instant, Inspector Mackie said, that on the after-

noon of the lat inst., he found the defendants in a boat in Ty-Tam Bay about 50 yards from s' ore. The boat had neither a license nor other papers. He requested a remand for a week to

make enquiries. A remand was granted.

Canton-THE U. S. CONSULATE.

April 30th.

I have, as you are aware, wholly abstained from any communication whatever with you upon the vexed subject of irregularities is only because I detect some rather broad shades of injustice towards Mr Lincoln in your leader of the 27th instant, that I now venture momentarily upon the much-ruffled surface of muddy waters. An intrinsic Vencedora. ing officers precluded from reply by rules of official decorum, is impartiality; and hence, it is especially incumbent to shun the injustice of invidious comparison. In this light, the contrast seems broadly drawn in your presentation of Mr Cheshire, even with the action of the State Department; and one is tempted to ask if, as you intimate, he was "too honest for his position," was he "too honest" to heed the promptings of ambitious zeal? That in the crucial question as between his acts and those of Mr Lincoln.

But as to the attitude of the State Department and the relations of the last-named gentleman to the Executive Government :suggest a former laxity tempting unwary incumbents of office so far away from Washington as China, let us ask why Mr Lincoln should not feel a tinge of envy inspiring a not ignoble ambition to vie with conspicuous Consuls of, at least, two of the leading Treaty Powers in obtaining commissions to execute contracts for gunboats and or arms on account of the Chinese authorities?

If, then, he did obtain such commission, with the reservation that he should submit it to the approval of his official superiors at Washington, and thereupon hastened to so submit it, and was told by them that they were glad to see that he had inspired so much confidence in the minds of local Chinese officers, instead of considering his acceptance of it blamable; what is the accusation, of his violation of an oath and the forfeiture of his Bonds, but an injustice?

That this is a reliable rendering of what occurred I am assured; and that after Mr Lincoln-for family and other reasons (some of a political character, I suspect, not wholl paid them their share of the find he could disconnected with the candidature of a distinguished personage for the office of President, that was foreshadowed at a banquet in plaining this when they saw the constable the Consulate here just a year ago) - had determined upon sending his resignation to the President, and, therefore, requested a Member of Congress from Michigan, (being himself therein at the home of his father with his own family), to call upon both the The first defendant admitted a previous | President and Secretary of State to ask, as a proper duty, if there was any matter of comattempting to obtain money under false | plaint existing against him, who was told explicitly that there was not and that the resignation would be accepted for reasons of actuating similar changes of somewhat extended scope: in China, Japan, Siam, &c. That these are the substantial facts, I am able to declare from having read the original was some weeks after the despatches of Mr arrangements are completed. Cheshire, (which were handed to Mr Lincoln on their arrival after he had submitted the matter of the contract for arms to the Excoutive), had been received and considered by the State Department. The telegram just to hand per English Mail dated at Philadelphia is of a tenor to confirm the intimation of the scope of Consular Tang Ailn, a fishmonger, was charged | changes contained in the letter of the Secre-

tary of State Such is the aspect of the questions raised by your editorial of the 27th as affecting Mr Lincoln; but as to the Interpreter, further developments are awaited Pending those, I will merely remark upon the gusto with which the "rangid butter" enter into his personal recognisance in the imputed to a former Consults still rolled under sum of \$50 to be of good behaviour for the tongue; marvelling that it has "stuck and family, to be remitted in their dissubsequently sending for their own account, and so his "parenips wore buttered" with a rengeanos of sarceam; and yet I can testify that the butter was good, stale, if not randd though the joke has become.

The colliding of the Kinshan and Theyting some weeks since off Junk Island, mear Whampon, was reported at the time, I beto-day, before A. R. Hewlett, Esq., Her Majesty's Consul, Mr. Sampson and Captain being assessors; and decided against the Kinshan, I hear. I expect to obtain a The first and second prisoners were each | fuller report.

Manila.

(Translated from our Manila Exchanges.) On Saturday (24th) a thunderstorm basic over Manila, which caused nome fatal consequences. Two parious were struck dead: in San Pedro Macati, and o'e in Sunta Anna; some damage was besides done to the buildings.

There were imported into these laisned during the first fortnight of Apr \$731,422 in Spanish cilver colos, and exported during the same period, \$15,200 worth of Spanish gold coins." By the steamer Leon, a new Organ was received for the Cathedral of Manile, and is said to have cost \$6,000.

The steamer Esmereida brought on from Hongkong and Amoy \$228,200 in silver. The British barque Astarte, Captain Parson, arrived at Manila from Swatow on the 26th April.

The American ship Empire left Manila of Prince Friedrich Wilhelm, eldest son expressed themselves much pleasely by for New York on the 26th April. The American ship Hagaretown, Captain Prussia. Prince Friedrich Wilhelm was to the community who had had an Whitmore, arrived at Manila from Hiogo

on the 28th April. H. B. M. E. Charybdis arrived here the afternoon of the 26th, en route Singapore. On the morning of 27th she fired a salute of 21 guns, which was acknow- year. in the American Civil Service in China, and it ledged immediately by the shore battery : later on, when the British Consul, who had paid her an official visit, left her side, a salute of 7 guns was fired. She afterwards hoisted the Spanish ensign and fired 13 guns, which compliment was returned the following day by the Spanish man-of-war

A letter from Ilollo, dated April 26th, says that the American ship Pelgrim has arrived there from Singapore, in ballast; the American ship Titan has left that port for Boston with 1,869,680 kilograms sugar : the American barque W. H. Holcomb has also left for New York, with 1,336,900 kilograms sugar.

THE MANILA-HONGKONG

TELEGRAPH COMPLETED. We mentioned in the beginning of ist week that the Hongkong-Manile cable would probably be completed by or about the end of the week. Thursday last the main cable was to within 8 miles of Bolinao, where it day. Putting aside the various caustic phrases of was buoyed. The next day (Friday) your arraignment of the Department that the Calabria landed the shore end and out the heavy cable till paid reached the buoy, which she picked up, when the final splicing was made and yesterday the first messages were sent by the newly-established means of communication. The Governor-General of Manila telegraphed (2.35 p.m.) to Governor Hennessy

"Al communicarme directamente con V. E. cumple un deber muy grato felicitandole por ello le doy gracias por su eficaz cooperacion."

The translation of the above message is as follows :--

"In communicating directly with Your Excellency, I fulfil a very pleasing duty in to-day congratulating you and returning thanks for your valuable cooperation." The Governor of Hongkong replied to His Excellency of the Phillippines:-

"I heartily congratulate your Excellency. The communication now opened will still further increase the commerce of Manile and Hongkong and be an additional guarantee for the friendship

of Spain and England." We are only sorry that we are not yet in a position to announce the opening of the line for public and commercial purposes. The point at which the cable has just been connected with the Insular Telegraphic service of the Philippines (Cape Bolinso) is distant some 120 miles from Manila, and there are yet ten miles of the land service uncompleted. Point a Piedra remains to be connected with the line before the system is com-We trust there will be no annecessary delay on the part of the authorities in giving the world the benefit of this new extension. The Conpolicy of a general character which were struction Company have put men ashore at Luzon to complete the missing link as soon as possible, and it is proposed that in the meantime a courier service should be instituted. It is to be hoped that this may be done. It is announced letters in proof, that of the Member of Con- that due advertisement of the opening gress being dated the 13th February, which of the line will be made when the fina

> PRINCE HEINRICH IN HONGKONG.

The German steam-frigate Prince Adalbert, 15, Captain Koester, bearing he flag of Commodore MacLean, which arrived here on Saturday afternoon, having Prince Heinrich of Prussia ca board, will probably remain here for the landing by Mr White, Commissioner some three weeks, H.R.H. during the of Customs, and Mr Blair, Chairman of interval visiting Macao, and probably Canton Beyond the visits of the German Consul and Vice-Consul, Mr G. G. Travers and Mr P. Kempermann respectively, to the vessel, there have been | Molchanoff, Mr. Cunningham, and M. no ceremonies in connection with this Price were waiting to receive their dis in the crop" ever since—(in 1862-63)—that visit deserving of record. It was intended tinguished guest. luckness man left a small residue of funds in | ed that H.R.H. should land to-day, but drawing room, H.R.H., giving his arm charge of the owners of the ship in which he the weather all day has been extremely to Mrs Alabaster, led the way to the was paying the passage money for himself disagreeable, and he has not at time of dining room, followed by Gen. Shepard writing come on shore. His Highness Mrs Blair, Lieut, Bianchi with Mrs has accepted the invitation of the Club Greig, and the other guests and house, Germania to a banquet this evening, to | and au bour or no was devoted to the some very choice butter which they were be preceded by an operatio performance. discussion of the dinner. This entertainment, at His Royal Highness express desire, is confined exclusively | General Blienera rose and made a long to the German community. The evident and elegant oration, in which, after desire of the young Prince to avoid a pointing out that it might seem at first general entertainment in his honour lias sight incongruous that a cities of a led to all idea being given up of any Republic should be selected to propose public honours being forced upon him the health of Royaley, it was still in the and beyond an 'At Home's at present instance appropriate, in that the Government House, which may be given. discovery of the Table he represented was: during the time he is the guest of the Governor and Lady Hennessy, no onportunity will be afforded in Society of lieve. The enquiry upon the case was held meeting the Prince. In response to Sir. John Hennessys-invitation that His Royal Highness should accept of the hospitality of Government House during his stay here, H.R.H. has written to say that he does not yet know what leave he will be allowed, nor when he will

may desire to pay their respects to him. The strict application of this rule has and singing for a time, and then a display. given rise to more or less misunder- of fire-works, the effect of which was standing in one or more of the ports in rather detracted from by the damp, but the North, so that it is as well the fact which H.R.H. was good enough to my may be noted here. On shore, of course. was very enjoyable, and it was half past no Service rules can prevent due respect one before H.R.H. and the fadies left, being shown, by Germany and England some of the guests remaining to supper alike, to the young traveller who is the which, with songs, was kept up to an grandson of the King of the one and early hour-

THE DUKE OF GENOA IN HANKOW.

(N. C. D. News.)

The Vittor Pisani, with H.R.H. the Duke of Genoa on board, arrived at Hankow on the 17th, the water having risen sufficiently to admit of her crossing the bar at Olyphant Island. On the coming in sight the Consular Body and Mr White Commissioner of Customs, assembled on the Bund, to the great admiration of a crowd of Celestials. who appeared much impressed with the splendour of the barlarians. Directly the Vittor Pisani reached her anchorage our representatives hastened on board to offer H.R.H; and his officers any service they might perchance need, and were received most courteonsly, the usual salute being fired at their departure. Bishop Zanoli followed, receiving a salute of nine guns on his departure, and this finished the proceedings of the first

On the 18th, H.R.H. was present at mass at the Roman Catholic Cathedral, and was visited subsequently by the Taotal and received many of the residents who called on board, honouring Mr and Mrs Alabaster by dining with them in the evening at the Consulate.

The 19th was spent in visiting the towns of Hankow and Hanyang, and in the evening H.R.H. entertained Bishop Zanoli, the Consular Body, the Customs representatives, and a number of residents at a dinner on board the Vittor Pisani. On the 20th, the Vittor Pisani moved

over to Wuchang, the Hanh-tal at once calling on board with the compliments of the Viceroy. This visit was returned by Count Candiani, A.D.C. to H.R.H. who with Mr Haas, who had accompanied H.R.H. from Shanghai, visited the Viceroy and Hauh-tai, being well received both, Later H.E. the Viceroy called on board the Vittor Pisani and subsequently received H.R.H. at his Yamen, the streets from the landing to its entrance being lined with troops and everything possible being done to show the Duke of Genoa the respect due to his rank.

The day was very wet, but we understand H.R.H. was much pleased with his visit, and it is creditable to the Chinese authorities that they appear to recognize the obligations of civilised society, and are now ready to do what is neumbent on them on occasions like the present. In the evening the Vittor Pisani returned to Hankow, to enable H.R.H. to be present with his officers a a dinner given by the community in their

honour at the nex Club-house. The rain had fortunately ceased, and from the landing to the Cinb long strings of red, white and green lanterns made most effective display, blending with the foliage of the willows which line the bund and streets; and at the building Mr Price had been equally successful At the entrance was a tent porch of red, white and green cloth, surmounted by the shield and crown of Savoy: The passages, staircase and landing were filled with a beautiful collection of peonies, azaleas, and other Chinese flowers, interspersed with porcelain vases, and the ibrary, a room of 70 feet in length, had bean converted into a very fine banqueting hall by the walls being lined, like the porch with red, white and green cloth, with shields and crowns over the doors and behind H. R. H. s seat, the whole being simple but in admirable tasts and consequently extremely effective. The long dinner table was elegantly adorned with a profusion of flowers, and the trophies of former Race Meetings made a handsome show along the centre. Punctual at the time appointed H. R. H. and his officers were received at the Municipal Council, and conducted to the Club, where the remaining members of the Committee General Shepard U. S. Consul. Mr Alabaster, H.B.M. Consul, Mr. Drintuvosky, Russian Vice-Consul, Mr Walter, Dutch Consul, Mr.

with Mire William County Candidate with When descers was placed on the table

due to enother native of Gentle, ite of Italian history from the founding of Rome to the date of the opening of the Mont Conis Tunnel

pressing his surprise to find such a Set- Montgomeryshire (a.) ilement 600 miles up the river, and thanking the community for the recep- Joy. tion they had given him.

be able to land, but he accepts the Go- Shepard then asked the computy to drink vernor's kind offer. On board, it should the health of the "Ladies," whose governbe understood, the Prince simply takes ment all alike submitted to, whether they rank as a sub-Lieutenant, and the rules professed to be Republicans or not of the Service seem to be applied most calling on Mr Alabaster to supplement rigorously to his case, denying him the his remarks, which he did in one of those privilege of receiving any visitors who neat little speeches in which he excels After dinner there were some music

of the Queen of the other. Prince So terminated a very pleasant evening Heinrich is the second son (third child) equally gratifying to the visitors who of the Emperor of Germany and King of the efforts, made to entertain them, and married January 25, 1858, to Victoria, opportunity of showing that though Princess Royal of Great Britain, and thousands of miles from their native Prince Heindrich was born August 14, lands they have not forgotten the duty, 1862, so that he is only yet in his 18th and pleasant duty, of hospitality to visitors. Before leaving, which he did next morning, H.R.H. forwarded a very handsome photograph of himself to the Club as a memento of his visit.

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Uhina Fire Ins. Co.; \$280, p. share, sales. H.K. & W. Dock Co., 5 % prem. H.K. C. M. S. boat Co., \$24 prem Shanghai Steam Navigation. The 5 per China Coast St. Nay, Co., Tle. 100 per a Hongkong Gas Co., \$75 per share. Hongkong Hotel Co., \$66 p. shr., buyers Obina Sugar Refining Co., \$159, per spare. Oblivers imperial Loan of 1874, nominal.

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We have instituted as an experiment a Visitors' Column, which we trust will prove successful, and be found useful. To it will be relegated from time to time such items of information, lists, tables and other intelligence as is considered likely to prove valuable to persons passing through the City, and in connection with we have opened a SELECT HOTEL AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY, applications for enrolment into which we are now ready to receive.

List of Public Buildings. Government House, North of Public Gardens

City Hall, Library (8,000 volumes) and Museum, -Free.

Tiblic Gardens, a beautifully picturesque retreat and of great interest. The Clock Tower, Queen's Road Central, in a line with Pedder's Wharf. General Post Office, Hongkong Club, German Club, Supreme Court, &c.,

within a stone's throw. Lusitano Club and Library, Shelley St. Government Offices, the Secretariat, &c., near the Public Gardens. St. John's Cathedral (Anglican), above

the Parade Ground. Roman Catholic Cathedral, Wellington N.R. means No Registration. Street Union Church, Elgin Street.

St. Peter's Seamen's Church, West Point. St. Joseph's (R.C.) Church, Garden Road, near Kennedy Road. Temperance Hall, specially adapted for sea-faring men, Queen's Road East.

Sailors' Home, West Point. E. E. A. and China Telegraph Co., and the Great Northern Telegraph Co., Marine House, Queen's Road. Masonic Hall, Zetland Street.

Victoria Recreation Club-Bath-house and Boat-house, &c.,-Praya, beyond the Cricket Ground, beside the City

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Stag Hotel, good accommodation for visitors at moderate rates, 110, Queen's Road Central,-J. Cook, Proprietor. spondence within the Postal Union. Hongkong Hotel, the largest and most commodious, at the corner N. E. of the Clock Tower .- DORABJEE AND HING-KEE, Lessees.

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as a general rule, is liable to Customs

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